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CENTRAL FAX CENTER****FEB 22 2006****PATENT APPLICATION
Docket No. 8514-026****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Ned HOFFMAN Conf. No. 3861
Serial No. 09/441,107 Examiner: FISCHETTI, Joseph A.
Filed: November 16, 1999 Art Unit: 3627
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR TOKENLESS BIOMETRIC
 ELECTRONIC SCRIP

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

a. ☐ Previously submitted:

☐ Consider the amendment(s) reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed
on _____.

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b. ☒ Enclosed is:

☒ Amendment/Reply

☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

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2. Miscellaneous

☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required).

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3. Fees: (Note: The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. §1.114 when the RCE is filed)

☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)

☒ \$395 small entity
☐ \$790 large entity

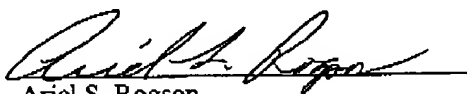
<u>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</u>					
For:	Number After Amendment	Previous Number	Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	11	-44*	0	x \$ 25 =	\$0
Independent Claims	1	-3**	0	x \$100 =	\$0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$0

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